

ICDF Landfill Final Cover Hydrologic Model Discussion Topics

- Review 30% Hydrologic Study
- Review 60% Hydrologic Study
- 3 IDEQ Comments
- Path Forward



IDEQ Comments Major Issues

- Flat vs Sloping
- Lateral Drainage vs Percolation
- 2-D Model

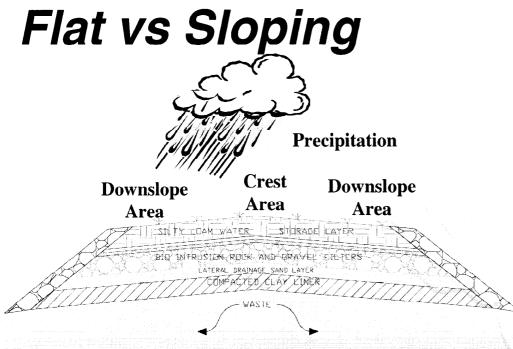


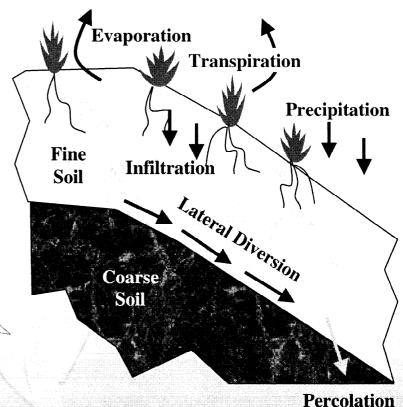
IDEQ Comments

Flat vs Sloping

"...will a sloping cover produce more infiltration than a flat cover?"







Lateral Diversion Length

Main Issues

- Surface water run-off stays on cover longer at downslope areas
- Lateral movement increases downslope moisture content at interface creating breakthrough



Flat vs Sloping Surface Water Run-Off

	Base Case	Extreme Case
Average Annual Run-Off	1 mm	3 mm
Percent of Precipitation	0.6%	1%
Average Annual Breaktthrough With Run-Off	0.41 mm	0.46 mm
Average Annual Breakthrough Without Run-Off	0.38 mm	0.48mm

- Amount of run-off is small, therefore contact time is short
- Travel time is short (<30 minutes)
- 99% of precipitation infiltrates into cover based on current model